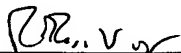

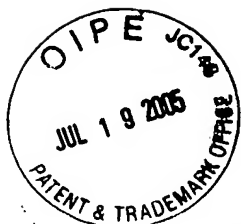




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Invention: MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC ULTRASOUND INSTRUMENT WITH ECG MODULE, AUTHORIZATION MECHANISM AND METHODS OF USE					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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Dear Sir:

Prior to issuing the above-identified patent application, Applicant requests consideration of an amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 as set forth below.

In The Specification

Please amend paragraph [31] appearing at page 6 as follows:

~~Figure~~ Figures 1A, 1B, and 1C illustrate illustrates an ECG module for use with a handheld ultrasound instrument.